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DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES

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Time: 3:00 p.m.

Bristol Bay Eastside Salmon Announcement # 57 **Emergency Order: 64, 65**

This is the Alaska Department of Fish and Game in King Salmon with an announcement for Egegik and Ugashik District fishermen. The time is **3:00 p.m.** and the date is **Friday, July 13, 2012.**

In Egegik: Escapement for July 12, was 20,000, catch was 61,000. Through July 12 cumulative escapement is 1.16 million and cumulative catch is 4.5 million sockeye.

Commercial fishing will be permitted in the Egegik District with set and drift gillnet gear from 7:45 p.m. Friday, July 13 until 3:45 a.m. Saturday, July 14.....an 8 hour period, and again from 7:15 a.m. until 3:15 p.m. Saturday July 14.... an 8 hour period.

In Ugashik: Escapement for July 12 was 72,000, catch was 118,000. Through July 12, cumulative escapement is 380,000 and cumulative catch is 2.1 million sockeye.

Commercial fishing in the Ugashik District will be permitted with set gillnet gear from 5:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. Saturday July 14.....a 10 hour period. Commercial fishing with drift gillnet gear will be permitted from 6:30 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. Saturday July 14..... an 8 hour period.

Fishermen in the Egegik and Ugashik Districts should stand by at 3:00 p.m. Saturday, July 14 for the next possible announcement.

This has been the Alaska Department of Fish & Game in King Salmon.

Read on VHF 7 and SSB 2509: July 13, 2012 3:00 p.m.

Connected EO's: 2F-T-64-12 and 2F-T-65-12

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